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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINS, GR
SUBJECT: TERRORISTS: IMPLEMENTATION OF THE BONN SUMMIT
ANTI-HIJACKING DECLARATION

REF: (A) STATE 212172, (B) STATE 186923

1. THE FRG AMBASSADOR INFORMED US, AND THE EMBASSIES
OF THE OTHER PARTICIPANTS IN THE BONN SUMMIT, THAT,
AS AGREED, HE HAD MADE A DEMARCHE ON AUGUST 29 TO THE
GREEK FOREIGN MINISTER ON THE ANTI-HIJACKING DECLARATION.
HE SAID THAT FOREIGN MINISTER RALLIS EXPRESSED THE GREEK
GOVERNMENT'S FULL AGREEMENT WITH THE CONTENTS OF THE
DECLARATION. IN RESPONSE TO THE GERMAN AMBASSADOR'S
STATEMENT THAT THE SEVEN WOULD WELCOME GOG SUPPORT FOR
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THE DECLARATION, RALLIS INDICATED THAT HE WOULD UNDERTAKE
THE NECESSARY CONSULTATIONS WITHIN THE GOG AND ADVISE
THE GERMAN AMBASSADOR OF HIS GOVERNMENT'S DECISION
IN DUE COURSE.

2. ON AUGUST 31 WE FOLLOWED UP THIS DEMARCHE WITH
MFA DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR POLITICAL AFFAIRS TZOUNIS,

MAKING THE POINTS IN PARA 7 OF REF. (B). TZOUNIS INDICATED THAT HE WAS FULLY AWARE OF THE CONTENTS OF THE FRG AMBASSADOR'S DEMARCHE AND SAID THAT THE MATTER WAS ALREADY UNDER STUDY BY THE MINISTRY'S LEGAL DEPARTMENT. HE REITERATED THAT THE GOG WAS IN FULL SYMPATHY WITH THE DECLARATION BUT POINTED OUT THAT IT RAISED CERTAIN LEGAL QUESTIONS. FOR EXAMPLE, HE ASKED, WHAT EFFECT WOULD ENFORCEMENT MEASURES UNDER THE DECLARATION HAVE ON EXISTING BILATERAL AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENTS OR TREATIES. HE INDICATED THAT ALTHOUGH THE GOG WOULD ALSO BE RAISING SIMILAR QUESTIONS WITH THE FRG AMBASSADOR IN RESPONSE TO HIS DEMARCHE ON BEHALF OF THE SEVEN, THE MFA WOULD BE INTERESTED IN ANY COMMENTS WE MIGHT HAVE IN THIS RESPECT.

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